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INTENSIVE CAMPAIGN PLANNED BY CROSSFIELD RED CROSS IN DISTRICT

CROSSFIELD—An intensive enrolment campaign by the Crossfield Red Cross Branch, who have selected March 20th for their first Blood Donor Clinic of 1951 is underway.

Every citizen in the district is asked to co-operate to make the clinic a success.

In speaking of the Blood Transfusion Service Red Cross officials say, "This free service holds a special position in our day-to-day lives . . . a position which is seldom duplicated. Not profit but humanitarian principles are the motivation power behind this service."

A look into your local hospital reveals some of the benefits which free transfusions provide. Local donors need no longer be recruited to meet each emergency, of necessity a long and cumbersome process.

The cost of blood for transfusions is completely eliminated, permitting hospitals to give more emergency and therapeutic treatment to patients without means. Infant mortality has been materially reduced through the operation of a Red Cross laboratory which does Rh investigations in maternity cases.

It has often been illustrated that the Blood Transfusion Service is a project where individual donor foresight combined with medical skill and knowledge go hand in hand in saving lives. To a normal, healthy individual giving blood has no ill effect. To the hospital patient needing a transfusion, the donation means life itself.

Citizens are requested to co-operate fully in making their Blood Donor Clinic a success on Tuesday, March 20.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of Henry Pofenroth who passed away March 5, 1949.

The call was short, the shock severe.

To part with one we loved so dear.

—Sadly missed by wife and family, dad, sisters and brothers.
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Announcement

Mr. J. S. Abra will be "at home" on the old farm in Crossfield, to his many relations and friends on March 7 (Wednesday) from 2 till 5 p.m. and from 7 till 10 p.m. This occasion will mark his 80th birthday. The old farm is now the home of his son, Hobart Abra.

Individuals may claim income tax deductions up to 10 per cent of their income on funds donated to the Red Cross.



STUDENTS from all over the world are attending a school instructor is seen showing students workings of a Rolls in England, only one of its kind, to study jet engines. In-Royce engine used in Meteor jet plane.

Ice Carnival In Crossfield Big Success

The Crossfield Sunday School sponsored an Ice Carnival on Friday evening last and was received with wonderful patronage. Joyce McDonald was crowned Carnival Queen and received many congratulations. Her ladies-in-waiting were Barbara Bills and Priscilla Santa. Joyce was sponsored by the F.U.W.A. There was fancy skating by the Carstairs young ladies which was very nicely done, followed by judging of children's costumes.

Winners under six years, Garry and Maureen Kiermin; six to nine, Dale Whitaker and Jackie Baxter; 10 to 15, Rosalyn Bills, June Ball, Ellen McDonald and Allan Kierman. An amusing skit by the Tuxis boys was appreciated, "Ice Follies of 1965." There were many prizes featuring winners of many ages. Outstanding were Kotow and Gilson in the boys and Norma Porbridge, Ellen McDonald and Lavonne Becker. In the Broomball game the Tuxis boys showed poor fathers how battles are won.

Lunch was served in the curling rink.

Beiseker C.W.L. Holds Regular Meet

BEISEKER—The CWL held their regular meeting last Thursday with a good attendance.

The second in a series of card parties will be held this Sunday evening. Both bridge and whist will be played.

As the annual meeting will be held next month, a nomination committee was set up of the following: Mrs. Tennant and Mrs. Matt Schmaltz.

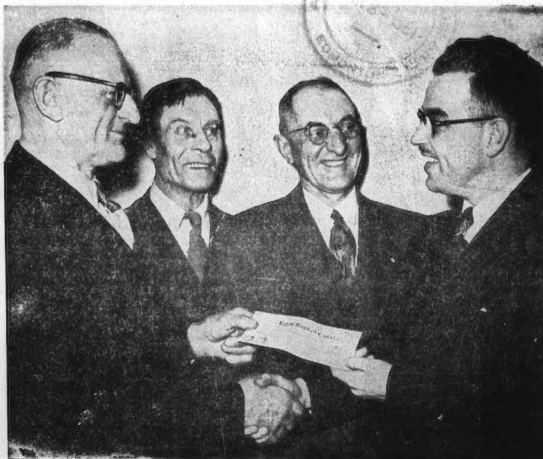
Mrs. Jack Seizler won the pool for evening.

Next meeting will be held Thursday, March 29.

BEISEKER TOPICS

BEISEKER.—Mr. and Mrs. Bob Toole and Sharon visited at Jack Seizler's over the week-end.

L. L. Schmaltz's free show demonstrating the Oliver machinery was held in the Memorial hall last Wednesday, Feb. 21 with a good crowd. Between films Ted Chapman's orchestra really gave some splendid entertainment.



MEMBERS OF THE BEISEKER DIVISION of the Canadian Red Cross Society recently presented Calgary Red Cross officials with a cheque for \$1,230, the entire proceeds from Red Cross Day, Jan. 31, in Beiseker. The money, which will be used to equip a room in the new Red Cross Crippled Children's hospital, was raised through a single day's entertainment that included everything from a hum shoot to an auction sale. Above, John Leiske (left) of Beiseker, chairman of the Red Cross Day committee, presents the cheque to Gordon Shave, assistant commissioner of the Alberta division, C.R.C.S., while Peter (second from left) and George Schmaltz, also of Beiseker, look on.

BEISEKER ELECTORS GATHER FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

BEISEKER—The annual meeting of the electors of the Village of Beiseker was held in the Memorial hall on Monday, February 12th. Twenty-six persons were in attendance.

Mayor Schmaltz complimented the rest of the councillors for the splendid attendance at their regular meetings on the second Monday of each month, and also stated that of a new appointment had been made during the year, that of W. J. Lavoie as our local rat control officer. He also touched lightly on Civil Defence, and mentioned that the Village sent a delegation to Red Deer in this connection.

Both Councillors Adam Velker and Leo Schmaltz urged the electors to bring in their complaints or suggestions to the council meetings, and to attend these meetings if just for the purpose of listening in.

The financial statement by Peter Ternes showed a very successful year.

Mr. Matt Schmaltz, commissioner of roads and buildings, complimented the electors on the cleanliness and general appearance of our village. He told the electors that during the past year seven building permits were issued by the village to the value of \$17,375.00, the largest of these being

the permit issued for the new bank.

Mr. C. F. Lohrke, Sanitary Inspector and Child Welfare Inspector recommended that the householders construct platforms on which they are to place their garbage cans. These garbage cans which are not to exceed 75 pounds in weight when full, are to have lids fastened on with a rope or chain. Also the cans are to be secured in some manner so that dogs or cats cannot throw them over.

Mr. Lavoie, Local Pest Control Officer stressed the importance of rat eradication, and asked everyone to co-operate in this regard and if rats are suspected anywhere they should be reported to him. He gave several suggestions how rats are killed, and told the gathering that his work would be in close conjunction with the district agriculturist.

Peter Ternes told the electors that he and Carl L. Schmaltz had attended a Civil Defence meeting in Red Deer on Wednesday, Jan. 24. He explained that in the near future Civil Defence meetings would have to be held here. He stressed the importance of having

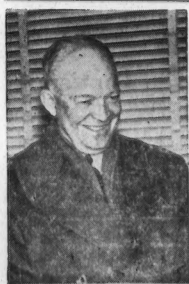
fire protection in this regard, and also the need of educating the populace in the event of a disaster.

J. H. Schmaltz told the electors that the Board of Trade was endeavoring to have a telephone switchboard installed in Beiseker, and asked the support of everyone.

Matt Schmaltz urged all the electors present to support the Board of Trade with reference to the Hospital Act. He said there was a rumor afoot that the people in the Beiseker area may be included in some other hospital zone instead of belonging to the Calgary area, in connection with the \$1.00 a day service plan.

The mayor suggested that figures on the cost of installing a sewage system be gathered together.

The Red Cross Outpost Hospital on wheels—a car provided by the C.N.R.—is in its 24th year of providing medical services to outlying communities in Ontario.



GEN. DWIGHT EISENHOWER is "impressed" with Canada's military effort, he told defence chiefs in Ottawa recently. He said he anticipated great co-ordination of Canadian-U.S.

BIG ANNUAL CALICO BALL in Memorial Community Hall March 15

Mr. Foster and the Mountaineers for Music

3 NICE PRIZES OFFERED

1. Best home made calico dress.
2. Best bought calico dress.
3. Best dressed stout lady in calico.

\$1.00 PER PERSON, SUPPER INCLUSIVE.

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EDITORIAL PAGE

Challenge to Albertans

Throughout the 37 year-old history of the Canadian Red Cross Society in Alberta, the people of the province have met many challenges, and not been found waiting. During the First World War, during the depression of the '30's, during the Second World War and up to the present time, Albertans have shown that they are Red Cross workers. No ideal has been too high-reaching for them to attain.

Because of the work it does, Red Cross must continue. It is Red Cross that gives Albertans free Blood Transfusion Service, Junior Red Cross, Disaster Relief, Outpost Hospitals, Veterans Aid, Swimming and Water Safety and care to their crippled children.

This work must be continued for the good of all. No one knows when disaster will strike, when illness will require bottles of blood and plasma, when the babe in your house will need orthopedic care beyond your finances.

This year, Red Cross is asking Albertans to contribute \$400,000 to continue its work. Red Cross is planning to spend in Alberta this year, a total of nearly \$600,000.

The care of crippled children looms foremost in the minds of Alberta people at present for it is this year, on March 1, that Alberta's Red Cross Crippled Children's Hospital will formally open its doors. Its support is up to Albertans, for while it is true that the hospital is necessary, it is equally true that we must not fail in helping its running expenses.

There is no more worthy work than that of Red Cross. When you contribute to its yearly campaign, you are merely paying a premium to ensure that the "work of mercy never ends".

Conscription

The Prime Minister has turned thumbs down on proposals for immediate institution of compulsory military service. While supporting the principle of compulsory military training, he says it is not a military necessity now and would place an undue burden on our national economy.

We admire Mr. St. Laurent for speaking out for conscription, in spite of criticism he is bound to get from his own people in Quebec. We never could understand why anyone would not want conscription for home defence. Certainly if the top brass among the military in Ottawa think it is necessary, no conscription of political expediency should cause a day's delay in passing the necessary order-in-council.

The United States has just extended the period of military training from 18 months to 27 months. If every young man in Canada, upon reaching the age of 17½ or 18 years were inducted into the Army, Air Force or Navy, and then released (provided there is by then no shooting war), it would not be any great loss to the labor supply. A lot of young hooligans would be taught to drive a tank or a gun tractor, instead of getting into police court for stealing cars.

Barring the advent of a great war, calling for full mobilization, we would in a few years have a fully trained reserve army of many thousands of young men. We need such a program of military training. We need it now.

Baptism of Fire

Last week Canadian troops went into action for the first time in Korea. It reminded us of a similar day, June 6, 1944, to be exact, when Canadians went into action, spouting fire and death on the bloody beaches of Normandy while Canadians at home prayed unashamedly in homes and in churches.

It isn't sufficient for us at this time to try and analyze the reasons why Canadians are fighting in another war. Our boys are "over there" now and more are soon to be despatched to Korea. They are undergoing their baptism of fire. Meanwhile civilians may soon face national registration, price and wage control, and we are sending shiploads of low-grade wheat to starving India.

We have an idea that the Christian attitude of feeding our potential enemies is better than killing them, and cheaper in the long run. The Government is to be commended on using this method of helping forestall revolt in India while at the same time fighting to keep the peace in Korea.

Here and There

By T. W. FUE

Karl Maslyk, owner and manager of the Morinville Radiator Shop in Morinville is perhaps not a very voracious reader but nevertheless somewhat discriminating in his choice of literature.

Probably no one else in all of Alberta saw this interesting item in the Eastern daily, that had been plucked from the Peterborough Examiner. It is headed "A Bit of Advice" and reads like this:



T. W. Fue
a bit, too.

A woman writes to an advice column asking: "What should I do when I find lipstick on my husband's shirt collar?" Our answer: remove as much of the pigment as possible with blotting paper and a hot iron, and then rub the remainder gently with soap and warm water. Oh, yes, and you might try sprucing up a bit, too.

ANOTHER DAILY—WHEN?

As I travel about the province people ask me when Edmonton will get another daily newspaper to take the place of the Edmonton Bulletin. You will remember that five weeks ago the Edmonton Journal declared they did not buy the Bulletin just after they had bought it out completely.

Well, if the Southams were to sell the present plant to a prospective competitor (a far-fetched proposition) it would be a little bit easier for another daily to start up. But the printers here now being largely dispersed along with many key staff members, the machinery is being moved out and the Southams have a strangle-hold on the newspaper supply. They claim they didn't buy the Bulletin—but they got the life-blood of the paper—the newspaper quack, without any other publisher getting an opportunity to bid for it. I don't know how a daily newspaper could publish without newspaper.

Assuming, however, that you could get newspaper and mechanical staff, you would still need \$1,000,000 and two years to get organized. Would anyone like to try it?

A PROFITABLE DEAL

With absolutely no regard for the welfare of the employees of the paper they bought out, the Southern chain stands to make a cool \$200,000.00 per year over and above their former profits.

By and large, daily newspaper circulation revenues pay for the newspaper, but the Journal will get paid twice for the extra newspaper they use. A few days after the Bulletin went out of business they increased their advertising rate by about 56¢ per column inch, ostensibly to pay for the newspaper taken up by the extra circulation that gravitated to them with the demise of their competitor.

The extra circulation will bring them \$200,000.00 per year additional revenue. Not bad—when you can gobble up the competition and increase your profits by a million dollars every five years!

Don't be surprised to see the Southern interests buy out competitors in other cities such as Vancouver, Calgary and perhaps snap up other independent papers in one-paper towns such as Medicine Hat.

WHEAT CONTRACTS

Britain is still very hard up and can't afford to pay world prices for our wheat. Hon. James Gardiner, Minister of Agriculture, was unable to get \$1,000,000 more this year from the British Food Ministry. We contend that Canada can very well supply the hunger needs of the world by reduced prices and outright gifts but this should not be done at the sole expense of the wheat producer only. Pay our farmers the full market price, and pay the losses out of the whole economy of all Canadians —not just out of the pocket of the wheat farmers.

The perils of publishing make an interesting story to close this week's discussion. We recently carried news and editorial material about an issue concerning the lively towns of Mayerthorpe and Sanguedo. An advertiser in Sanguedo got sore at us for publishing a story giving the Mayerthorpe angle, and cancelled his advertisement to drive home his feeling into our hide where it hurts the most. Now we have a letter from Mayerthorpe demanding an explanation on why we published the Sanguedo side of the argument.

As long as we are publishing a paper, we insist on our right to publish all sides of each story, as we see fit; and those who don't agree with us can register their protest with a letter to the "Voice" column here on our right. That's fair, isn't it?

Note and Comment

Long years spent in school are worth little unless, during the educational process, young people learn to reason, to think for themselves intelligently and wisely.

What has become of the idea that our winters are getting progressively warmer?



THE WORK OF MERCY NEVER ENDS

Voice of the People

"VOX POPULI, VOX DEI"

Liquor Control

Dear Sir—In regard to our cartoon you published February 16th, and your comment that it had no application to the situation in Alberta, allow me to make this reply.

Our way of handling liquor is admittedly better than that in Montreal or New York, or Reno, but still not above improvement. We are not criticizing the Liquor Control Board, nor the Hotel Keepers' Association, as such. The latter have a tough job indeed, trying to bring all their membership up to the approved standard. Naturally they don't succeed 100%. If they did beer would never be sold to minors; nor to those already under the influence; none would ever stagger out of the parlor at 10 p.m., or any other time. Whether we can call all men who put profits above public welfare by the term "racketeers" is a fine point of the use of English. But crimes can and do originate in licensed parlors. It is because of the unhealthy nature of the product they sell, Licensing an evil does not rob it of power to do harm. And all men of goodwill should be concerned to limit that harm to the minimum. I think there will be less cause for questioning the situation we are sending you this week re the time taken to get over three drinks. Thanking you,

ROBT. G. THOMPSON,
Edmonton

Money for War

Dear Sir—We have been dragged into two world wars by such people as Ex-Artilery MCO, Sanguedo, who wrote about teen-age hoodlums recently.

If he had his way we would not have a free choice as to whether we go to Korea to slaughter innocent people or stay in Canada and work for peaceful prosperity. It makes little difference to me whether a self-respecting recruiting officer will want me and I'm certain that the teen-agers feel the same. They want and need recreation facilities and jobs and security. With the money they spend for war surely a portion could be allocated for these great needs.

M. W. P.

Lac la Biche.

Likes Editorials

Dear Sir—While we have not had the pleasure of meeting, we have a feeling of acquaintance with you having read your editorial for the past two years. I appreciate your support of Christian principles, also your outspoken view on the use of liquor as a hazard for human consumption. I trust you will continue in the courage of these principles.

C. E. RAWSON.

Youngstown.

FUA Resignations

Dear Sir—I don't think those directors should have quit the FUA over the communist issue. We need a strong organization and should stay united. We can't get anywhere with our directors quitting.

JOHN ROPECAN.

Bells.

Thanks

Dear Sir—The Alberta Tuberculosis Association wishes to place on record the thanks of its Directors and members that are due to your paper and your readers who have supported us so generously again in the 1950-51 Christmas Seal campaign.

The Seal Sale is nearly over, and although the provincial total is still a few thousand dollars short of the \$170,000 objective, we are confident that when all returns are in, we will again have achieved our goal.

C. H. CROOKS

Calgary

C. R. DICKEY

County Act

Dear Sir—County government is the form of local government used in the U.S.A., but it differs considerably from that proposed for Alberta. A few years ago I heard a Mystic foretell that B.C. would unite with the U.S.A. Now Astrology is predicting a union of Canada and the U.S.A. along with many other things for this decade.

In the U.S., each county has a county seat where these officials dwell and where the business is transacted. Each year the county assessor for his particular district visits each house and makes a list of all valuable things, piano, radio, gold watches, jewelry, feed, live stock, money on hand, value of real estate, chickens and dogs.

Anyone may run for any office he seeks; there are two parties. He or she in the county publishes a notice that such an office is desired subject to the will of the voters. A primary election is held and the person receiving the most votes for his party must run against the opponent of the opposite party and the one receiving the most votes at the general election wins. No person may hold office more than two terms in succession. A term is two years.

There is a track county and adjoining the county seat upon which there are buildings to house live stock, poultry, vegetables, fancy work and canned goods. There is a race track and a pavilion for the spectators. Here the county fairs are held annually. A small sum is charged for admittance, except children under twelve.

Do any of these appeal to us when we talk of changing our system of government?

Drumheller.

THE SEEKER

ALBERTA

Furore Rising Over Naming Of Calgary's Stampede Corral

BEST ATTAINABLE IMAGE
FROM DOCUMENT AVAILABLE

LEVEL LAND GIRL IS CROWNED QUEEN OF BEISEKER ICE CARNIVAL

BEISEKER—Miss Marilyn Stern was crowned Queen of the annual ice carnival here Thursday evening, Feb. 22nd.

This sixth annual event was sponsored by the Lions club, and the skaters were directed by Mrs. Carl L. Schmaltz.

The queen was escorted to her throne by her attendant, Miss Marie Hagel. Her beautiful purple velvet cape, lined with gold cascade into a long train and was carried by Theresa and Terry Schmaltz. Mr. F. A. Lount was chairman for the occasion, and called on Mayor L. L. Schmaltz to bring greetings on behalf of the town.

Mr. Lount in his short address of praise for our 1951 Queen and also to Miss Marie Hagel and Miss Helen Malakid who all had done their utmost toward this carnival did not forget to pause a moment to pay tribute to our 1950 Carnival Queen, Miss Donalds Hagel, who this year is wearing her Heavenly Crown of Glory. Miss Stern was then crowned by Miss Marie Hagel. Norman Schmaltz, chairman of the skating committee presented the Queen and her runners-up with gifts to which they gratefully replied.

After this the following colorful program took place: Military Band, Dust Waltz, Dutch Mill Drill, Junior Boys and Girls' figure skating, Cowboys and Indians drill, Senior Girls' figure skating. Tiny tots in colorful costumes skated during the intermissions. Mrs. Carl Schmaltz also gave a splendid demonstration of figure skating. Clown acts were carried out by Francis Schwartzberger and Jerry Schwartzberger.

Others taking part in the carnival were: Theresa, Terry, Perry, Andy, Keith, Jerry, Betty, Gay, Diane, Marie, Claire, Lewis and Bernice Schmaltz; Charlotte Rempel, Beatrice and David Brosteaux; Margaret and Joey Wright; Carol Goodman; Kenneth Daubert, Elvira, Clark and Sylvia Kroschel; Shirley and Geraldine Hagel; Marilyn and Elsie Sempovich; Frankie and Johnnie Richter; Kenneth Reifsmider; Eloise, Kenneth

and Frances Bettin; Dale Zacher; Janet and Francis Laviole, Anne Lohrke; Rose Marie Meidinger; Bernadette, Lawrence and Donna Volker; Jerry Silbernagel; Clayton Metzger; Larry and Bernice Sulzer; Lewanna, Edna and Dolores Schwartzberger and Emily Borgardt.

The Lions club supplemented the skating with a humorous skit, "The Thing," very well displayed by Lions Ken Wright, L. L. Schmaltz, Carl L. Schmaltz, George Schmaltz and Clarence Metzger. A monster Two-o-war closed the evening's entertainment with the Lions against the World with the latter being the champions.

The Skating Club sponsored a raffle, and Mr. Peter Ternes was the lucky winner of the \$10 bill.

The Skating Committee and Mrs. Carl L. Schmaltz wish to thank Mr. Harvey Kistner of Rockyford very kindly for coming that long way on such a cold night to take pictures of the Beiseker Carnival. These pictures will be in black and white as well as some in color, and I am sure that the parents as well as the children will be pleased to have pictures for a lasting souvenir.

E. J. Cammaert Plans Draft Sale

ROCKYFORD — Well-known district stock breeders, Emile J. Cammaert and Son will offer some of their pedigree stock for sale at an auction, March 7.

United States as well as Canadian buyers are expected to be on hand to bid on the 31 Scotch Shorthorns. The sale is being held at the Cammaert farm, five miles south of Rockyford, beginning at 1:30 p.m. All of the animals to be offered for sale are eligible fox export to the United States. Auctioneer is J. W. Durno, and lunch will be served during the sale.



MORE SOLDIERS are being trained in the art of defence and Canada's taxes will probably increase to pay for it. Strength of all forces will be raised from 90,000 to 148,000.



GENE KELLY wears the "smile that won't come off" surrounded by this bevy of Hollywood beauties who are featured with him in his forthcoming picture, "An

American in Paris", which revives many of the late George Gershwin's popular musical numbers.

TWO BEISEKER DELEGATES ATTEND RECENT SCHOOL DIVISION MEETING IN STRATHMORE

BEISEKER—A meeting of the School Board of the Wheatland School Division No. 40 was held in Strathmore on Saturday, February 24th.

All Municipal councils covered by the School Division were asked to send representatives to discuss the budget for 1951. John Ohlhauser and Matt Schmaltz represented the Municipal District of Kneehill. The total estimated expenditure for the district is \$432,760.60 and the mill rate was set the same as last year to ascertain this amount. However, Beiseker's special mill rate by an amendment passed by our Board has reduced the mill rate from 5 to 5, placing it in line with Acme, making a total reduction of \$561.35.

Teachers' salaries were also dealt with and increased \$100 right across the board.

The contract for the new school at Beiseker has not been let. Tenders will close at Strathmore on March 12 at noon, and open to tenders in Calgary at 2 p.m. the same day at Hodges (architect's) office.

At the school meeting held in Beiseker on Saturday, Feb. 17, the same trustees were returned to office, namely, Mr. Carl E. Schmaltz, Mr. Val Schmaltz and Mr. Fred Laviole.

Mr. Fred Laviole attended the Cold Storage Locker Association's convention held in Calgary during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tratinik of Calgary were week-end visitors at the home Mr. and Mrs. Matt Schmaltz. Mr. and Mrs. Tratinik came from Yugoslavia over two years ago, when they fled from the Communists. They are both employed, and attend night school to learn the English language. They think that Canada is the best country in the world, and are

waiting for the day when can take out their citizenship papers.

The concert, sponsored by the Beiseker Lions Club, which was to have been held last Wednesday, Feb. 28 had to be cancelled due to a number of those taking part being suddenly stricken with the flu. A new date will be set. Watch for the change on the posters!

Little Glenna Ternes is confined to her home for some time, but it is hoped that with lots of rest, Glenna will regain her normal health before very long.

It is hoped that little Kenneth Riefmider, who fell last Sunday whilst skating and apparently injured his head will be up and going soon again.

During the bonspiel week in Beiseker, Darce Olsen and Pete Schmaltz curled a four-end game all by themselves for a bottle of Scotch. The score was 2-1 in favor of Pete Schmaltz. Immediately the two of them set out for Calgary at 2:30 p.m. and returned to Beiseker at 4:45 with the cherished prize. Apparently we are left to form our own ideas as to the conclusion of this story, but I suppose like most books, it had a happy ending. We hear that Darce was eliminated first in the bonspiel, and won a sack of flour. As for Pete, he figured the easiest way to try and win curlers out! How about it, Pete?

The two Vets were seen scouting around different parts of Beiseker on Saturday, but according to reports the guess are all eaten! We hear that John Leiske was all excited over the Red Cross picture in the Herald, and Pete Schmaltz was rushing around to get his picture framed!

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Selzer and Elizabeth Ann, from Ledue,

visited with Pete Schmaltz and Jack Selzer over the week-end.

We are sorry to say that Darce Olsen's dad is seriously ill in the High River Hospital. We hope for better news next week.

For those who may have been wondering what the big van from Winnipeg was doing in Beiseker last week, we are pleased to inform you that the Royal Bank received a large shipment of fixtures, and Mr. Ken Wright was a busy man over the week-end. He was assisted in this work by Mr. Earl Chandler.

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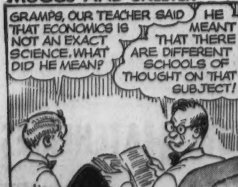
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Wheatland Nominates Patrick and Olsen

BEISEKER — The monthly KATHA meeting of the Beiseker and KATHA sub-locals was held in the Level Land School on Tuesday, Feb. 20. Mr. L. Dunyan, the vice-president, took the chair. The teachers decided to accept the recommendations of the Salary Negotiating Committee, which had recently met the Divisional Board.

Mr. Workman gave the report on the last local meeting in Calgary, in which the executive nominated Mr. R. Patrick, Lacombe, as candidate for president of the Provincial Executive and Mr. Lars Olsen, Holden, as candidate for vice-president. All teachers were urged to support these candidates.

MUGGS AND SKEETER



BY WALLY BISHOP

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AUTOMOBILES AND TRUCKS

FOR SALE—1938 Ford Sedan, 1937 Ford coach, 1937 International panel 1/2-ton, cheap for cash or will trade for cattle; Model A Ford, trade for good stock saddle; extra good sedan body to fit 37-38-39 Model, \$500.00; complete transmission to fit 37-38-39 Model, \$40.00; two-wheeled tractor, \$25.00; new Ford tractors, plows and cultivators; new Ford pump sprayer; Fordors; Deluxe Tudors and Fordors available. Anyone requiring fertilizer must order at once. For more by writing Imperial Garage, Box 11, Hughtenden, or phone 27.

C-F-24-M-3-10

FOR SALE—1947 Jeep, complete with P-1 and pump, 23,000 miles, overhauled last fall. Will trade on late model car or cash. In very good shape. N. S. Stogier, Smoky Lake, Alberta. C-M-30-10-17-24

BUSINESSES

FOR SALE—Class "A" Cafe. Good turnover. Seats 40. Three refrigerators, completely equipped. Living quarters. Apply Blue Bird Cafe, Sanguo, Alta. C-TF

MODERN garage, show room, fluorescent lights, nice front view, living quarters, P-1, basement, water system, furnace, 7 lots. Excellent location. Prosperous town and district. East of Camrose, 100 miles, 13. Going concern. Property and equipment \$15,000. \$10,000 cash. Stock at invoice. Pictures of business on request. Reply to Box 3, 10815 82 Avenue, Edmonton, Alberta. C-F-24-M-3-10

FOR SALE—General store, business in good farming district. Three-room living quarters. Goods at invoice price. Cash or trade. Building can be purchased or rented. Reasonable deal. Good prospects for large oil strike. Apply Box 502, Smoky Lake, Alberta. P-M-30-10-17-24

GOOD FARM MACHINERY

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Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Rach and family returned on Wednesday from a trip to Great Falls.

Mr. James Hamilton returned on Friday from Vancouver where he attended his uncle's funeral. The return trip was by plane. Karen, year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Farquharson, is a patient in the General Hospital, Calgary, where she is recovering from pneumonia and a strep throat.

Mr. E. J. Elliott is a patient in the Belcher Hospital, Calgary, where he is recovering from a stomach ailment.

Mrs. Wendie G. Langdon is visiting her daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leask. Norman Dodd is getting along fine after a tonsil operation.

Rebekahs Hold Military Whist

On Wednesday, Feb. 21 the Rebekahs held their annual Military Whist in Masonic Hall, after the Odd Fellows had adjourned their meeting. There were 16 tables in play and everyone had an enjoyable time. A very delicious lunch was served by the Rebekahs at the conclusion of the game. The first prizes went to table number nine, who defeated the fort and added eight more flames. The garrison were Mesdames C. C. Stafford, Ruth Laith, and Messrs. D. Wylie and E. McCrimmon. The consolation was handed to table 16 where Bert Lilley, Thelma Onell, Dorothy Law and Mable Edlund were stationed. This little fort didn't do so well in flags, having lost six and retained 10, but apparently they enjoyed themselves.

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"Report From Parliament Hill" is not a political broadcast. It represents an agreement between the radio station and the Member of Parliament where the members provide an objective, non-political review of events, personalities and scenes in parliament, of interest to their localities.

Appeals for personal support or party work or promotion of private party interests are all considered political in substance and do not enter the framework of "Report From Parliament Hill."

Members of Parliament of the Dominion legislature of Northern Alberta constituencies will be heard over CFRN each Tuesday at 10:20 p.m.

**The
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Points of Similarity

He — "What's the difference between a policeman and a cracked chair?"

She — "I'll give up. What is the difference?"

He — "They both pinch you if you don't park right."

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LETTER TO LOUISA
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Dear Louisa—I have been going with a divorced man and he has asked me to marry him.

I love him but I am worried for fear he will not be a good husband. He is fun on a party but he is always changing jobs. I understand that his first wife worked in an office all the time she was married excepting a few weeks each time the two babies were born. A friend also tells me that he does not contribute to the support of his children but that his wife and her parents support them. I hate to discuss money matters before we get married but all these rumors have me worried. What would you advise me to do?

B. L. M.

Answer:

He sounds like a mighty poor matrimonial bet to me. But let us look at the situation and give him the benefit of considering his side of things.

First, he is always changing jobs — if this means that he gives up a poor job for a better one each time, there is nothing wrong in that but if he is an unsatisfactory worker and loses jobs because he is not dependable or efficient that is certainly one strike against him.

Next — his wife worked all of her married life. Well, some women like to work out of the home and some would rather work than live frugally on what their husbands make. On the other hand, if she had to work because she had a lazy husband who threw away what money he had on good times, that is the second strike against him.

Third — every man who brings children into the world is responsible for their support and if he is dodging that responsibility, that, to me would be the third strike against him and he would

be definitely out as far as I was concerned.

Insofar as hating to discuss money matters with a future husband before you are married, that is the best time to discuss them. You can get his idea before you take the final step and believe me, if some of the women who marry tightwads and good time Charles knew what was in store for them, they would go on leading the single life and be happy about it.

My advice would be for you to talk to this man and find out from him if these rumors are true. If they are and you still love him enough to marry him, you will at least know what problems you have ahead of you.

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winners will also be paid by Canadian Pacific.

The competition will take the form of an essay and must be one of the following two subjects: "The Future of Trade in the Pacific" or "The History of Transportation on the Pacific." The essay should be not longer than 1,500 words.

Final date of submission of the essay to the entrants' teachers is March 15. Application to enter the competition should be made through a teacher to Canadian Pacific Air Lines, Vancouver. All test forms and directions will be forwarded by return mail.

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Early Prophet Condemned Hypocrisy In Religion

Isaiah, the greatest of the Hebrew prophets, condemned hypocritical worship, just as his predecessors had done.

Amos declared: "I hate, I despise your feasts and I will take no delight in your solemn assemblies. . . But let justice roll down as waters and righteousness as a mighty stream."

Hosea said: "I desire goodness, and not sacrifice, and the knowledge of God more than burnt offerings." Micah said: "He hath showed thee, O man what is good; and what doth Jehovah require of thee but to do justly and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with thy God?"

Speaking through Isaiah, Jehovah says, "I have had enough of the burnt offerings of rams, and the fat of fed beasts; your new moons and your appointed feasts my soul hateth. . . When ye make many prayers, I will not hear: Your hands are full of blood. Wash you, make you clean; put away the evil of your doings from before mine eyes; cease to do evil; learn to do well; seek justice; relieve the oppressed; judge the fatherless; plead for the widow."

"We have all noticed the vast difference between religious ceremony and moral life," declared Frederick B. Fisher. "It may be said with truth that as the moral life of a people declines, the religious ceremony seems to increase. The history of religious reform is the story of rebellion against excessive ritual and corresponding laxity in morals. And, strangely, the older an organized religion becomes, the more ritualistic it is."

"It was this fact which aroused Isaiah. He was a prophet of ethics. He could not bear to hear the name of God mentioned at a sacred altar by wicked priests; nor could he understand how wicked laymen could enter the temple; take part in the sacred ceremonies of worship, and come forth seemingly satisfied, when their lives were openly immoral. It was an intellectual appeal that he made."

In his conversation with the Samaritan woman, at Jacob's Well, near Sychar, Jesus taught

the principles of true worship. The story is familiar and we are not concerned with any phase of it except the part of his conversation which deals with worship. In order to change the subject of conversation from her own personal sin and need of a savior, the woman asked Jesus to settle the long-standing dispute between the Jews and the Samaritans as to the right place in which to worship.

Jesus pointed out that God may be worshipped anywhere, the place not mattering nearly so much as the manner in which the worshipper worships he declared, "God is the spirit and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and truth." Only sincere and real worship is acceptable to God. All worshippers need to remind themselves of this fact if they grow as they should in their experience and knowledge of God.

Paul, in the writing from his prison cell in Rome to the Christians at Colossi, gave these early Christians some suggested aids to real worship. He recognized the value of "psalms and hymns and spiritual songs" in group worship, in addition to teaching and admonishing and studying the "word of Christ."

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ROCKYFORD. — In the Farmers' Bonspiel held recently the J. Dahm rink won the trophy.

Harold Roppel's rink won second in the same event. Curling on the Dahm rink were: J. Dahm, skip; F. Ewing, third; B. Muench, lead, second; and A. Schmidt, third. On the Roppel rink were H. Roppel, skip; B. Katterhagen Sr., third; I. Reimer, second; and T. Schultz, lead.

In the consolation event the D. Dahm rink won first, and the B. Neilson rink of Strathmore won second.

The Junior hockey team was active during the past week when they downed Iricana on Wednesday 9-7, and Standard on Thursday by a score of 4-1. However on Friday night they were not so lucky when Standard defeated them at Standard.

Mr. Melvin Heinzelmeier of Calgary was home for week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Stinn were week-end visitors in Rockyford. Mr. Stinn has been relieving Mr. Killen at Belseker in the Searle elevator.

Miss Theresa Kathol spent the past week-end at her home in Rockyford.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Babe Fuller is in the hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery and hope that she will soon be back with us.

Mr. K. D. Mitchell was re-elected as village councillor at a meeting held Monday, Feb. 19. This is Mr. Mitchell's second term in office.

The annual meeting of the Serviceberry Municipality was held Monday, Feb. 19 in the Community hall. A very large crowd was in attendance.

A chicken house and 190 chickens were destroyed recently when fire broke out on the farm of Mr. Otto Hoelscher. The fire was believed to have been started by an oil heater. The Hoelscher farm is located about four and a half miles south of Rockyford.

The first of a series of card parties sponsored by the Knights of Columbus was held Sunday evening, Feb. 25. These card parties will continue until after Easter.

Miss Regina Renner and Mr. Andreas Antone of Bavaria have recently arrived in the Rockyford district. Regina is employed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Feser and Andreas at the farm of Mr. J. Melcher.

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Old Time District Resident Passes Away

ROCKYFORD — A resident of Rockyford for the past 35 years, Mrs. Arthur Cammaert, passed away in a Calgary hospital Friday. She was 69 at the time of her death.

Mrs. Cammaert is survived by her husband, a son, Gerald, Rockyford; three daughters, Mrs. P. V. Ross, Saskatoon; Mrs. M. Ploynkoff, Rockyford, and Margaret of Baltimore; seven grandchildren, two brothers, Edward Ayome, Chicago and Michael in Belgium; a sister, Mrs. Payre Reynaert in Belgium.

After coming to Canada from Belgium in 1914, Mrs. Cammaert settled at Strathmore, later moving to Rockyford. She was a member of St. Rita's Church and the Catholic Women's League.

High requiem mass was sung at St. Rita's Church, Monday at 10 a.m. Burial was made in the Rockyford Cemetery, with Melness and Hollaway in charge.

F. J. Schmaltz At I. H. Dealers' Course

BEISEKER — Frank Schmaltz has just returned from Calgary where he attended along with I.H. dealers' servicemen, a special four-day dealers' servicemen's training course. This course, sponsored by the International Harvester Company of Canada, Ltd., was presented as a special educational and training service feature to assist Harvester dealers in providing their customers with improved service in tractors, motor trucks and farm machines.

Mr. Schmaltz, upon returning to Beiseker, said "The I.H. Service-

men's Training Course I just attended in Calgary has been packed full of valuable information and has given me many new ideas covering the servicing of tractors, motor trucks and farm equipment. With the new knowledge and information obtained at this school I am more than ever able to provide the high class type of service that will meet with the needs of the most particular farmers in our district."

Mr. Schmaltz also stated after his return from Calgary, "I am sure that after this special four-day I.H. Service Training Course I attended, that our customers will see striking evidence of a highly efficient and up-to-date service operation when they visit our shop which I am setting up in the very near future."

An investigation into the life of laundry bags, conducted under the auspices of the National Research Council, revealed that five nylon bags were still in service after being exposed to 144 washings while five control bags of the fibre usually used all failed after 50-60 washings.

Council Meetings

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